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Note verbale dated 19 August 2004 from the Permanent Mission of Burkina Faso to the United Nations addressed the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of Burkina Faso to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo and, in accordance with paragraph 9 of that resolution, has the honour to inform him that the Burkina Faso defence forces have been instructed to strengthen controls in order to prevent any arms transfers from the territory of Burkina Faso to the areas concerned.

In addition to these instructions, military operations are being regularly conducted in collaboration with the security forces, thus helping to reduce the spread of arms and prevent any transactions in this regard.

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